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From: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MASSMAIL-01/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=REBECCA.PONTES]
Sent: 9/27/2010 10:13:08 PM
To: Farak, Sonja (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MassMail-01/cn=Recipients/cn=Sonja.Farak]
Subject: Re: v. [REDACTED] JT on 9/30/10

So we are still in the dark on the numbers but we r both needed but it will likely be a plea. Hopefully because I may be needed in Pittsfield Sup. On Th now! Ha Ha!
Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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From: "Farak, Sonja (DPH)" <Sonja.Farak@MassMail.State.MA.US>
Date: Mon, 27 Sep 2010 17:51:58
To: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH) <Rebecca.Pontes@MassMail.State.MA.US>
Subject: FW: v. [REDACTED] JT on 9/30/10

Here's the response I got from Neil regarding the Orange trial on Thursday (notice the lack of drug lab numbers):

From: Desroches, Neil (NWD)
Sent: Monday, September 27, 2010 5:48 PM
To: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Subject: RE: v. [REDACTED] JT on 9/30/10

Hi Sonja, first, I apologize on Dave's behalf for his lack of responsiveness, I really appreciate you're being on top of this issue and making us aware.

I believe most of the confusion comes from the fact that the drugs submitted under Jordon Stone are, were seized as part of the same execution of a search warrant. Technically, we would probably need both you and Rebecca to testify, but, I understand how impractical that is and I'm sure I can work something out. This may all be a moot point, though, because the defense attorney contacted me today and I believe a resolution short of trial is likely. I will keep you posted.

Thank you!!!

From: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Sent: Monday, September 27, 2010 11:13 AM
To: Desroches, Neil (NWD)
Subject: FW: v. [REDACTED] JT on 9/30/10

Neil-

I just found out that you will be the ADA in Orange this Thursday (Sept. 30, 2010) taking over for David Lemasa on the Kayla Thompson case. I've been trying to get in touch with Dave for about a month and a half regarding this case, and am hopeful that I will be able to get my questions answered from you. Please see the forwarded message that I sent him on August 5th. If you need to contact me, you can always email me or give me a call at the lab (413-545-2607). Thanks.

-Sonja

Sonja Farak
Drug Analysis Lab

From: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Sent: Thursday, August 05, 2010 11:08 AM
To: Lemasa, David (NWD)
Subject: v. [REDACTED]

Hi Dave-

I received your summons for the Kayla Thompson trial scheduled for September 30, 2010 and I have a few questions/comments. First, the Drug Certificate numbers listed on the summons are [REDACTED]. The defendant listed on the first number ([REDACTED]) is listed as [REDACTED] but I was not the chemist that performed the analysis on this sample (Rebecca Pontes is). Also submitted the same day by

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the Athol police were [REDACTED] chemist = Rebecca). As for the second number ([REDACTED]), the lab does not have a submission for that number (or any number above [REDACTED] for that matter). I looked up submission [REDACTED] thinking that it might be a typo, and, although I am the chemist for that number, the defendant was listed as [REDACTED] (as well as [REDACTED]). Finally I looked up the defendants name ([REDACTED]) and found one other submission that had that name on it which I had analyzed ([REDACTED]). With all this stated, would you mind clearing up for me which drug lab certificate numbers are actually involved with this case?

Second, I may have a conflict on September 30 as I am suppose to be in Pittsfield District Court that day, though it is early and things may change (note as of Sept. 27th = the Pittsfield case is still on).

Thanks.

-Sonja

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